

January 31, 2008

Minerals Program
State of Utah – Dept of Natural Resources
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210
P.O. Box 145801
Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801

RE: Escalante Silver Mine 2007 Annual Report - M210004

Enclosed is the completed 2007 Annual Report for Hecla Mining Company's Escalante property.

Sincerely,

Paul L. Glader

Manager Environmental Services

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STATE OF UTAHDEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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SMALL MINING OPERATIONS 2007 PROGRESS REPORT January 1, 2007 to December 31, 2007

The information required in this form are based on provisions of the Mined Land Reclamation Act, Title 40-8, and the rules as under the Utah Minerals Regulatory Program.

1.	Mine Permit Number: M. 210004
2.	Mine Name: Escalante Silver Mine
3.	Name of Operator/Permittee: Hecla Mining Campany Note: If Operator's address, company representative or phone number have changed, please provide a replacement page to the Notice of Intention.
4.	Mine Location: 3 miles WSW at Bery Junction 354 Selections Report the gross amount of ore mined and waste moved, as well as the arrangement, 15365, 12171
5.	Report the gross amount of ore mined and waste moved, as well as the arrangement, LTS 365, K141 positioning, or distribution of the material: None - wived
	Gross Ore Mined Waste Material Moved New Disturbance Area Reclaimed Total Disturbed Area Was the ore shipped-off, site? If not, where is the ore located?
	Where is the waste located? Uaste dump of tallings impoundment *Total life of mine disturbance to the end of 2007.
6.	Briefly describe the reclamation work performed during the past year. A map showing reclaimed areas and dates is suggested. (Submit form MR-SITE for an application for full or partial bond/site release). No reclamation performed in 2007. Site 13 monitored for reverse tatton of water during the trapparted tallings impound mont. Used spraying for trapparted was conducted a tallings impound mont in during a during the past year. A map showing reclaimed areas and dates is suggested. (Submit form MR-SITE for an application for full or partial bond/site release). No reclaimed areas and dates is suggested. (Submit form MR-SITE for an application for full or partial bond/site release). No reclaimed areas and dates is suggested. (Submit form MR-SITE for an application for full or partial bond/site release). No reclaimed areas and dates is suggested. (Submit form MR-SITE for an application for full or partial bond/site release). No reclaimed areas and dates is suggested. (Submit form MR-SITE for an application for full or partial bond/site release). No reclaimed areas and dates is suggested. (Submit form MR-SITE for an application for full or partial bond/site release).
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correct to the	best of my knowledge and belief.
	Name (Typed or Print):
	Title of Operator: Manager Epytronnental Services
	Signature of Operator:
	Date: 1/3/08
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